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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 7532

BILL NUMBER: HB 1451

NOTE PREPARED: Jan 11, 2011

BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Mint distilling operations.

FIRST AUTHOR: Rep. Dermody

FIRST SPONSOR:

BILL STATUS: As Introduced

FUNDS AFFECTED: **GENERAL
DEDICATED
FEDERAL**

IMPACT: No Fiscal Impact

Summary of Legislation: This bill specifies that a mint distilling operation is considered a farming operation for purposes of Indiana Administrative Code rules concerning the Air Pollution Control Board.

Effective Date: January 1, 2011 (retroactive).

Explanation of State Expenditures: If mint distilling operations are considered farming operations as defined in 326 IAC 1-2-28, they would be exempt from certain air regulations under 326 IAC 2-1.1-3(e)(31). If they are exempt, the Department of Environmental Management (IDEM) would not be required to provide oversight.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected: IDEM.

Local Agencies Affected:

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